

2019 Syrah Griffin's Lair Vineyard Sonoma Coast

While I have always intentionally shied away from using the Terroir term when discussing our wines, it's hard to argue with seventeen years of wines that carry a specific identifiable character, regardless of vintage. My goal has always been to locate, source and produce wines that reveal their sense of place, it is incredible to see it, taste it and experience it as it unfolds in front of you. In as few words as possible, the Terroir of Griffins Lair is wild, salty, smoky, dank darkness...

100% Syrah
100% Griffins Lair Vineyard, Sonoma Coast
100% Whole-Cluster
12 months in neutral barrique
13.0% Alcohol By Volume
3.75 pH
96 cases bottled

Tasting Note:

Vibrant aromas of sea salt, violets, smoke, crème de cassis, cured meat and Santa Rosa plums. The texture and weight of this wine is incredible. The viscosity and suppleness dominate the character of this wine. While there is great dark fruit and no shortage of tannins and super bright fresh natural acidity that you would expect from Griffins Lair the wine is really all about texture and a magical lightness right now.